

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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QUALIFICATIONS FOR CHAIRMAN AAI AND DG CIVIL AVIATION

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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the qualifications required for selection of the Chairman of the Airports Authority of India and Director General, Civil Aviation; and

(b) the dates from which the present incumbents are in office?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION

(SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a):- The qualification for the post of Chairman, Airports Authority of India is a graduate degree from a recognised university with good academic record and adequate experience at a senior level management in an organisation of good repute. Preference is given to persons with technical or MBA qualifications with knowledge of aviation Management and air transport.

The post of Director General of Civil Aviation is filled up by promotion from the officers holding the posts of Joint Director General (JDG) / Deputy Director General / Director with prescribed years of service. The post can also be filled up by transfer on deputation from the officers of All India Services or Central Services Group 'A' eligible for appointment to the post of Additional Secretary in the Government of India and from the officers of Indian Airforce holding the rank of Air Marshal.

(b):- Shri D.V. Gupta is holding the post of Chairman, Airports Authority of India with effect from 6.7.1998 and Shri H.S. Khola is holding the post of Director General of Civil Aviation with effect from 24.2.1998.